

#### UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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# <u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Ms. Mary Lou Capichioni
Director, Remedial Services
Environmental, Health & Regulatory Services
The Sherwin-Williams Company
101 Prospect Avenue, N.W.
Cleveland, Ohio 44115-1075

Re: Administrative Order on Consent for Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study

Index No. II CERCLA-02-99-2035 Section XX - Reimbursement United States Avenue Burn Site

Dear Ms. Capichioni:

Enclosed is a Bill for Collection No. 272082S039 ("Bill") in the amount of \$212,120.81 for costs paid by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") in connection with the United States (U.S.) Avenue Burn site (the "Site") between November 1, 2006 and April 30, 2008. This Bill is being transmitted pursuant to the reimbursement provisions set forth in Section XX of the September 30, 1999 Administrative Order on Consent (AOC) for Remedial Investigation/ Feasibility Study (RI/FS) activities between the United States and the Sherwin-Williams Company for the Site entered under the authority of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA), as amended, 42 U.S.C. 9601 et seq.

Also enclosed is a narrative statement concerning the costs contained in the Bill and a SCORPIOS Report – the latter being a computer-generated breakdown of the different categories of Site-related costs paid by EPA.

Pursuant to Section XX of the AOC, you are responsible for remitting payment of the Bill within thirty (30) days from the date of your receipt of this Bill. Although the terms of the AOC indicate that payment is to be made by a certified check, EPA requests that the amount due be sent to EPA's account at Federal Reserve Bank of New York via electronic funds transfer ("EFT"). To effect this payment via EFT, please instruct your bank to remit payment to EPA by providing the following information to your bank:

i. EFT to be directed to: Federal Reserve Bank of New York

ii. ABA Routing Number for Federal Reserve Bank of New York: 021030004

iii. Federal Reserve Bank of New York account number receiving payment: 68010727

iv. SWIFT address: FRNYUS33

v. Address: Federal Reserve Bank of New York

33 Liberty Street New York, NY 10045

vi. Field Tag 4200 of the Fedwire message to read:

D 68010727 Environmental Protection Agency

vii. Case Number: II-CERCLA-02-99-2035

viii. Amount of payment: \$212,120.81

ix. Name of Remitter: The Sherwin-Williams Company

x. Site/Spill identifier: 02 - GE

To ensure that your payment is properly recorded, you should send a letter <u>or</u> E-mail, within one week of the EFT, which references the date of the EFT, the payment amount, the name of the Site, the index number, and your name and address, to:

Mr. Ray Klimcsak
Remedial Project Manager
New Jersey Projects/State Coordination Team
New Jersey Remediation Branch
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency - Region 2
290 Broadway, 19<sup>th</sup> Floor
New York, NY 10007
E-mail: klimcsak.raymond@epa.gov

as well as:

Mr. Carl Howard, Esq.
Office of Regional Counsel
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency - Region 2
290 Broadway, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor
New York, NY 10007
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and:

Richard Rice
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26 W. Martin Luther King Drive
Attention: FINANCE
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Cincinnati, Ohio 45268

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The United States reserves its right to recover any oversight costs incurred during that time period covered by this accounting but not included in this Bill, and all other future response costs pursuant to the AOC.

Finally, as indicated in past correspondence, under the Superfund Administrative Reform on improving the management of work performed by consenting parities, EPA has reaffirmed its commitment to conduct appropriate and cost-effective oversight while ensuring protective cleanups. EPA believes that maintaining an open dialogue with potentially responsible parties about oversight expectations and consenting-party performance can improve the efficiency of response actions and minimize the costs of oversight.

To this end, EPA would once again like to offer to discuss with you its plans for the oversight of ongoing work at the Site, and to provide you with the opportunity to suggest ways to effectively streamline the work and its oversight. Please contact Mr. Klimcsak at (212) 637-3916 within two weeks of receipt of this letter if you are interested in having a conversation with us regarding future oversight, or if you have any questions regarding this Bill. Questions from your legal representative should be directed to Mr. Howard at (212) 637-3216. Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Carole Petersen, Chief

New Jersey Remediation Branch

**Enclosures** 

# Certified By Financial Management Office

## **Itemized Cost Summary**

## U.S. AVE BURN SITE, GIBBSBORO, NJ SITE ID = 02 GE

Costs are from 11/01/2006 through 04/30/2008 (PP02/FY07-PP14/FY08)

REGIONAL PAYROLL COSTS	\$26,262.09
REGIONAL TRAVEL COSTS	\$117.08
INTERAGENCY AGREEMENT (IAG)	
ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS (DW96942025)	\$1,521.18
OTHER EXPENDITURES (OTH)	
GRB ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, INC. (EPR20601)	\$785.01
RESPONSE ACTION CONTRACT (RAC)	
FOSTER WHEELER ENVIRONMENTAL CORPORATION (68-W9-8214)	\$110,045.70
STATE COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT (SCA)	
NJ DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION (99291098)	\$20,324.00
CONTRACT LAB PROGRAM (CLP) COSTS	
FINANCIAL COST SUMMARY	\$2,869.26
EPA INDIRECT COSTS	\$50,196.49
Total Site Costs:	\$212,120.81
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